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Full size do., Turkey Red Lined, $2.90.
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28-inch All-Wool Red Flannel, 25c
Do. do., White do., 25c.
Do. Fine Saxony do., 40c.
Do. Anti-Rheumatic do., 45c.
Do. Heavy Twilled do., 50c to 65c.

65 Dozen

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Do. Fine Lambs Wool Sox, 25c

18 Dozen

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sep 1-1y WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary.

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A. O. F.

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THE ANNUAL SOCIAL DANCE under the auspices of Court Vancouver, No. 5755, A. O. F., will be held at the Theatre Comique, on Friday, Dec. 10th, 1886, commencing at 8 o'clock p.m.
Tickets $2, admitting Gentleman and Ladies, can be had of the following Committee:
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street Victoria.
The stock on which the above assessment remains unpaid after the first day of December next shall from and after that date be deemed delinquent. Dated 12th Nov., 1886, by order of the Directors.
GEO. A. SARGISON,
nov 11 Secretary.

Morton House,

SHAWNIGAN LAKE,

WILL OPEN

Saturday, Nov. 20, 1886.

nov19 C. MORTON, Proprietor.

THE WORLD IN BRIEF.

The Pith of the News from all parts of the Globe.

A new graving dock for Montreal is being strongly urged.

The official census of Prussia shows a population of 28,318,458.

The Sultan presented Hon. John Chamberlain with a gold snuff box.

From three to four thousand people listened to Jeans McCarthy's address in Quebec.

Philadelphia Knights will run a labor candidate for the mayoralty.

The Poughkeepsie bridge is to be completed before January 1st, 1888.

Harvard University is celebrating its two hundred and fiftieth anniversary.

Epidemic pleuro-pneumonia has made its appearance in Clinton County, Indiana.

Mr. Blaine is in New York, preparing for the campaign for the presidency in 1888.

Snow storms are light but plentiful in the New England and Middle States.

The executive of the Paris exhibition has granted $75,000 to build a tower 984 feet high.

The dry goods trade in the states has been badly set back by the continued warm weather.

The North-west Council asks that liquor fines should go into the general territory fund.

A father fooling with a pistol in Long Island City lodged a bullet in the head of his only son.

The International Range association will establish cattle yards in St. Louis to compete with Chicago's monopoly.

President Cleveland has accepted an invitation to attend the 250th anniversary of the founding of Harvard college next week.

As a result of the oleomargarine tax, licenses were taken out in New York by three manufacturers, 30 wholesalers and 25 retailers.

Three armed high way men stopped and robbed a nine-year-old boy on Sherbrook street, Montreal.

Subscriptions are being taken up at Lachine for a grand religious funeral service on the 16th inst., the anniversary of Riel's execution.

By the premature explosion of a dynamite blast in Thurlow, Ont., Jas. Boggs, of Lindsay, was thrown twenty feet and badly injured.

It is expected the C. P. R. will enter the city of Hamilton by a short span from the Toronto and Niagara falls line.

It is said Mr. Reap U. S. consul general at Constantinople, will succeed "Sunset" Cox as U. S. minister at the Ottoman Capital.

Elmer Starner fell under a train at Fraserburg, O., Saturday morning and was frightfully mangled.

The factories in Augusta, Ga., have reduced hours of labour from sixty-eight to sixty-five per week.

The Quebec government have not resigned; the legislature, it is said, will be called together first

A branch of the C. P. R. from the station at Myrtle, down close to Oshawa and thence to Bowmanville harbour is talked of.

Alexander Reed, an old settler of Colborne township, was killed in a runaway accident on his farm recently.

The laws in regard to the importation of cattle from the United States and Great Britain, it is claimed, are not strict enough at Montreal.

A desperate fight occurred between a gang of riotous tramps and a number of citizens at Annville, Pa., in which four were killed.

Nine hundred Pennsylvania coal miners are idle—five hundred on strike and four hundred through the cave-in of a slope.

Satisfactory results were obtained in the tests of the new six inch and eight inch steel guns at Annapolis.

It is reported that efforts are being made to secure Col. Bob Ingersoll as counsel for the condemned Anarchists.

The Indiana Legislature will be Democratic on joint ballot, which insures a Democratic successor to Senator Harrison.

Kiepert the celebrated geographer, sustained dangerous injuries while ascending the Bozgach Mountains in Asia Minor.

The Emperor William yesterday received Prince Louis of Bavaria and afterward had a conference with Prince Bismarck.

The Journal des Debats says that cordial negotiations are proceeding between England and France in the direction of a friendly settlement respecting Egypt.

The Berlin Socialists are preparing to give a reception to Herr Liebknecht. The latter's American tour realized a handsome sum which he donates to the electoral fund of his party.

Democrat and Republican politicians say it is difficult to tell whether the recent George vote in New York means the continuance of labour organizations in local politics.

The grand jury at Winnipeg has found a true bill against Thomas Thomas, an Indian, for the murder of Harriet Gilmour, at Selkirk, in April last.

Mr. Hugh Sutherland of the Hudson Bay railway definitely announces himself in the field as a candidate for Winnipeg for the House of Commons.

Christopher Pagan under a life sentence for murder, at Wethersfield, Conn., deceived his keeper by placing a dummy in his cell and escaped.

A political fight between Congressman John T. Heard and William Gentry, both leading Democrats of Sedalia, Mo., led to a couple of fistic encounters.

John Hart, colored, charged with complicity in the murder of a young cripple named Waldrup in Lee country, Ala., was seized by a mob and lynched.

Dr. James M. Buzzel, an electric physician, was committed for trial at Portland, Me., charged with causing the death of Carrie M. Colton, of Gotham.

Gabriel Dumont, one of Louis Riel's lieutenants in the Northwest rebellion, was present at the banquet given the delegates from France by the French society in New York.

Two women in Ballymen, county Antrim Ireland, have been fined, one £5, 10s, or three months' imprisonment, and the other 10s or one week, for boycotting a sheriff's sale.

The western division of the green glass blowers league has dissolved all relations with the eastern league, owing to the latter submitting to a reduction of 5 per cent. in wages.

The will of the late Henrietta A Lennox, of New York, disposes of $10,000,000. The heirs contest religious bequests of $27,000.

Prince Bismark will speak in the German Reichstag during the debate on the Government's foreign policy.

Edmund Collins, a Canadian journalist, lectured before the Canadian club of New York last night on the "Future of Canada." Mr. Collins is well known in Ottawa.

Miss Edith Weatherby of Quebec, has entered an action for $15,000 damages against J. B. Lamontagne, advocate of Montreal, for alleged breach of promise of marriage.

All the Charleston, S. C., schools were in session when the recent earthquake shock took place, and several pupils were injured in the rush to the doors that ensued.

The Zoological society met yesterday and reported receipts for last year of $8,979, and $96 now on hand, assets, including building and animals are $21,855, liabilities $9,913.

The strength developed by the labor vote in New York and elsewhere has caused a good deal of selling out of American securities in England.

The German East African society have acquired a large amount of territory in North Zanzibar, comprising Port Dunford at the mouth of the Wanboza and Juba river, the waterway to the Galla highlands.

M. Popp has been arrested at Paris on the charge of swindling English capitalists out of $30,000. Popp claims that gold can be extracted from mill stones and the money has been spent in experimenting.

Mr. Colin Ross of High River, N. W. T. intends to introduce stag hounds from Scotland into this country for the purpose of hunting down the wolves and coyotes which are beginning to be a serious source of annoyance and loss to Alberta stockmen.

The exports from Spain during October increased $50,000,000, as compared with the same month of 1885. Half of the increase was derived from wines exported to England since the new treaty went into effect.

C. P. R. CAPITAL.

A cablegram to the Toronto *Mail*, from London on the 13th states that it is reported that arrangements have been made for a large increase in the capital of the Canadian Pacific Railway, also that the details of a joint working arrangement between the Canadian Pacific and Northern Pacific Junction Railways is being completed.

Confirmatory of the foregoing the Hamilton *Times* a few days since made the announcement that Hamilton had been placed on the same footing as Montreal as regards through and way rates on the Canadian Pacific Railway.

OUR OWN NATIONALITY.

Sir Richard Cartwright's good Sound Advice to Young Men.

Burning Words Which all Canadians may Ponder Over and Digest.

Sir Richard Cartwright's address to the Young Liberals of Seaforth should be read and pondered by every young man in Canada who cherishes any patriotic sentiments or noble ambitions. Among other oratorical qualities of a high order, Sir Richard has the power of terse and epigrammatic statement. Already THE TIMES has published a few extracts from that speech. We commend the following further extracts to the careful perusal and study of our readers:

CANADA'S POSITION.

Then I must also point out to you that there are serious difficulties in the position of Canada itself. We have to contend with political difficulties on our singular and semi-dependent position as a small State between two very great ones, with both of which we have very close relations. With geographical difficulties caused by the great stretches of barren wilderness interposed between the three great divisions of our territory—which have often caused me to wish we lived rather in three islands with the sea as a means of connection and communication. With national or race difficulties arising from the circumstances of our early settlement, and lastly with economical difficulties partly natural and partly of our own making, but none the less real notwithstanding. As yet we are but

IN THE CHRYSALIS STATE,

Better able to crawl than to fly, and altogether more caterpillar than butterfly. What we need, and we need it very badly, is more public spirit—a larger share of the true instinct of patriotism—and to become thoroughly impregnated with the feeling which inspired that well-known passage in Sir Walter Scott:

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said,
This is my own—my native land?
If such there be: go mark him well
For him no minstrel numbers swell,
High though his title, proud his name,
Boundless his wealth as wish can claim
The wretch, concentrated all in self,
Living shall forfeit fair renown,
And doubly dying shall go down;
Down to the dust from which he sprang—
Unwept, unhonored and unsung."

That is the temper which has made Scotland great; that is the temper which alone can make any country really great, and that is the temper which we must one and all try to cultivate and foster among our people if we ever expect to make Canada a great country. So I say be Canadians above all, and before all, whatever else you are. (Applause.) It may well be that there are some among you whom I address to-night who may be destined

TO CLIMB HIGH,

to whom it may be given to see clearly what we see only through a glass darkly, and who may come and enter into and possess the land we are only permitted to gaze upon from afar. To such I can only say that I hope they will cherish an honorable ambition. Such an ambition is perhaps the best safe-guard against political corruption. Almost as good in its way as an honorable love is to defend you against vulgar prodigacy, and how great a defence this is you may learn from Tennyson's splendid description of its effects in elevating the character, especially in youth and early manhood, where he bids you

"To speak no slander—no, nor listen to it,
To lead sweet lives in purest chastity,
To love one maiden only—cleave to her,
And worship her by years of noble deeds
Until you win her. For, indeed, I know
Of no more subtle master under Heaven
Than is the maiden passion for a maid.
Not only to subdue the base in man,
But teach high thoughts and amiable words,
And courtliness—and the desire of fame
And love of truth—and all that makes a man."

These are not only very noble words, but they are also profoundly true—true, physiologically, and true psychologically as well. They are words every young Canadian man and every young Canadian woman would do well to learn by heart; and to study and ponder over. They breathe the very essence of chivalry and Christianity, so far as the relation of the sexes are concerned; and it appeals to one

OF THE LOFTIEST INSTINCTS

we have inherited from our Teutonic forefathers; that inborn and remarkable reverence and esteem for woman which Tacitus noted 1800 years ago as one of the qualities most to be admired in nations of the Germanic race; and as one of those virtues which have their reward in this life as well as in that which is to come, or as he puts it "Sera Venus ideoque pubertas inexhausta." And I would say to my young friends, that as I wish them all possible success in life, so I can find no two better wishes for their welfare than these: First, that you should entertain an honorable ambition to succeed (honorably) in whatever walk in life you may select, and that you may each and every one of you form an honorable attachment in good time, and may prosper in your love likewise. (Loud applause.) And now, gentlemen, for

A FEW POLITICAL HINTS.

You mean I take it to propagandise? Then you must be ready to give a reason for the faith which is in you. You must be prepared to preach and to teach, and to do that effectively and to good purpose you must teach and inform yourselves. To this end you must read and study, and criticise and think over what you read. You will require a library containing some of the standard works on history and political economy, and on social science generally. It need not be large, but it should be well selected. If I can be of any service in assisting you in the selection I will be very glad to confer with you, but I would advise you, on the whole, to apply for information on these matters to Mr. Godwin Smith, than whom you can get

NO MORE COMPETENT ADVISER

on literary questions in North America, or probably in Europe. For the best you spoke just now, Mr. President, of the desire of the members to make use of their club for social as well as political objects. I am entirely in accord with you there too. There is great truth in the old maxim, "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy," but what is not perhaps sufficiently insisted upon is, that if Jack be a lad of any spirit, all work and no play is very apt to make him entirely dissatisfied with his position, and very much inclined to make a bad use of his holiday when he does get one. (Loud applause.) Sir, I tell you that rational amusement is a necessary, rather than a luxury. More than that, a fair share of it is the best possible defence against profligacy. Now, this cardinal part has got to be recognized and provided for in any

COMPLETE SCHEME OF EDUCATION.

Much depends upon it. Much more than any one would suspect at first sight. In Canada, I am glad to say, we are making a very good beginning in our scheme of national education. We are justly proud of what has been done, but we must remember that, after all, it is but a beginning. Much has been done. Much remains to be done, and in other ways. Education is a very big word. It is doubtful if the process should ever stop in a rightly constituted human being till he or she is at rest in their grave, and not a few good and wise men have thought that the true explanation of many of the difficulties that perplex and oppress us in considering the scheme of the universe is to be found in the fact that our life here is only a training school for a higher and better state of existance. Be that as it may, I know this that training a few faculties is not enough—and that overtraining some of the practical exclusion of others is distinctly bad. Sir, if there is one thing more than another which the study of the classics ought to teach us it is this. True education develops all the faculties, mental, physical, and social as well.

ELECTION NEWS.

Nothing definite is yet known regarding the approaching general election. Last week Sir John Macdonald, accompanied by Ministers Thompson, White, Costigan, and others, addressed large assemblage of electors in various sections of Ontario. The premier is advertised to address meetings for the next two weeks in that province. Everywhere he is being received with the greatest enthusiasm. His health is keeping good, and he is in remarkably good fighting trim for the stump. It is believed that he is feeling the pulse of Ontario, which now will be the battle ground between the Conservatives and the Liberals. Having ascertained the feeling of the people in the keystone province, and if at all favorable to an immediate appeal, the parliament will be dissolved at once and the elections take place inside of forty days after the dissolution. The greatest of activity prevails in the ranks of both parties.

The contest in Manitoba and Ontario is being waged with great vigor. In the prairie province party lines are not so clearly defined yet as they are in the east; the pivot questions being as to whether Norquay shall rule, or step down and out. With that gentleman as leader of the government, as well as against Mr. Greenway the leader of the opposition there is a feeling of dissatisfaction amongst their followers. It is on the boards to depose both of these gentlemen, their "usefulness having gone." On both sides the very best and strongest men have been put into the field. Naturally there must be some objectionable individuals; but taken as a whole they will compare favorably with an equal number of persons to be found anywhere, in point of intelligence and debating ability. Our impression is that the Norquay government will be sustained by a very slim majority—so small in fact as to render it impossible for that gentleman to carry on the government on party lines and that a coalition government will be the ultimate outcome of the conflict.

From Toronto it is reported that the influence on Sir John Macdonald of Mr. Mowat bringing on the election so suddenly, is watched with interest and it is thought not improbable that they will be sprung on the same day or some days previously. The Liberals are confident of an increased majority in the Legislature, and if their expectations be realized and the general elections should be postponed till after that date, disaster would certainly follow to the Ottawa government.

AN EXTENSIVE AGENCY.

A visit to the sample rooms of Messrs. H. G. & R. Walker, in the Spencer Arcade, displayed to our reporter a stock of samples larger than the entire stock of many a good sized store. The Messrs. Walker are agents for the well known staple and fancy dry goods firm of John Macdonald & Co., Toronto; Messrs. Livingston, Johnston & Co., manufacturers of ready made clothing, Toronto; Alex. A. Allan wholesale hats, caps, straw goods, furs, etc., Toronto; the White Bronze Monument Co., of St. Thomas, Ontario; Messrs. Samuel May & Co., manufacturers of billiard tables, etc., Toronto, and a number of other well known eastern manufacturers. The goods manufactured by all these firms are first class and thoroughly reliable. The Messrs. Walker have lately introduced in the province the White Bronze monuments, manufactured by the White Bronze Monument Co., of St. Thomas, Ontario. White bronze, unlike stone, does not crumble or decay, and if the opinions of eastern scientific journals are to be believed will eventually supersede stone for monumental and statuary works.

OUTFLANKING THE WORLD.

The Calgary *Tribune* copies part of an interview with Mr. Robert Kerr of the C. P. R., while in this city, relative to freight rates from Victoria to and the east side of Calgary, as compared with Montreal rates, and says: "This would almost indicate that Victoria wholesalers were competing with those of Montreal for the Calgary trade. Cool, ain't it? Why, the fact is that Calgary wholesalers are laying their lines deep and solid to outflank the world in the competition for Victoria and B. C. trade."

MACHINERY FOR CHINA.

Wilson Bros., of the Vancouver foundry to-day shipped to Port Townsend, for transportation to China on the bark Southern Chief, a pair of high pressure stern wheel engines, and the necessary wrought iron work and connections. The machinery is to be put into a steamer, now building in China, designed for navigating one of the large rivers of that great empire. The engine is capable of working up to ninety horse power. This we believe is the first exportation of home-made machinery from Victoria to a foreign country, a fact which speaks well for the mechanical skill of the enterprising makers, and is practical proof of the absurdity of the idea that British Columbia cannot become a manufacturing country.

—An Ottawa dispatch of the 14th states that Mr. McLeod Steward was to leave the capital that night for Winnipeg, where he will complete the organizing of the Canadian Anthracite Coal Mining Company. He will also proceed to Banff to inspect the mines. Advices indicate there will be an enormous quantity of coal mined during the next few months, and the number of men employed there will be largely increased.

THE YOUNGEST CITY

Photographed by the Travelling Correspondent of the London Times.

Optimistic View of the Future of the Terminal City.

Vancouver, or the "Terminal City," as it proudly calls itself, is the youngest town in Canada, and 2,909 miles west of Montreal. It did not exist until within a year, and after it had been started with great vigor a terrible fire in June last burnt it all down, and it had to be started afresh. No better location for a town could well be selected, and it is no wonder with its advantages of position, that this city of three months' growth is now so busy with axe, hammer, and trowel in expanding itself. Everybody was burnt out at the fire and everybody is building again.

THE CITY

stands on a narrow peninsula between Burrard Inlet and English Bay, the peninsula jutting out into the Sound, and thus having a chance for a good harbor on either side, with the town between, on a surface sloping both ways, thus giving good drainage. The northern side where the inlet sweeps around into a cove, is called Coal Harbor, and here is secure anchorage and deep water clear to the shore. The end of the peninsula expands somewhat, and is almost surrounded by water, being reserved by the Government for a park, the town standing on the narrower portion. Streets are laid out and a substantial wharf built, and a population of 1,500 are gathered here, the number rapidly increasing. The trade in town lots is brisk, and the city, as far as it is constructed, seems to be composed largely of hotels and real estate offices. This is the land of the "big trees" and a belt of the giants, growing so thickly that they could hardly find room for their roots, covered the town site and had to be cut down. With the exception of a half-dozen

ALL HAVE SUCCUMBED,

and much of the town-plot is now a rough surface of stumps, logs and debris of these trees, which can only be got rid of by explosions or burning. Trees six, eight, and eleven feet in diameter have been destroyed, and their stumps are a problem to extract. It is amazing how thick and luxuriantly these giants—cedars, spruce, and Douglas pine—grow. It costs £100 to £150 per acre to merely clear the land or them, and their rings show that they have been growing 500 years or more. Men are working to clear the land of them from the street, and the outskirts of the town, as yet uncleared of stumps and trunks, looks as if a tornado had been through the forest. One gigantic pine stands solitary in the town, and is said to have been prepared for destruction, but was saved at the intercession of Princess Louise. The townspeople have named the great tree after her. Sections of wood cut across the trees six and eight feet in diameter lean up in front of the houses and are used for signboards.

THE PROCESSES OF BURNING

are continually going on in the suburbs to be rid of them, and give the sky a lurid glare at night. In fact it was owing to carelessness in this respect that the great fire last June was started. Like much else that is enterprising in the newer regions of Canada, Vancouver owes its "boom" largely to the Scotch. Many of them are veteran pioneers, having aided in opening settlements in Ontario, then removed to Winnipeg, and having assisted in setting that city off on a successful career now come to the Western Coast to renew the process. The Vancouver Chief of Police is a Highlandman of massive build, constructed to rival the big trees of this region, though as yet his active force is not so large as might be thought proper for such a ponderous commander—numbering just five men. But there is every opportunity for its future enlargement, as this "Terminal City" has an ambition as big as her trees, and commensurate with her proud position as the Pacific Coast terminus of the great railway whose four we have now completed. As may be supposed, the vast stores of timber in the neighborhood make wood-working the chief industry of this section, so that most of the houses are built of the lumber that is so abundant and cheap, though a fine building stone, prettily mottled with black spots on a gray ground, is found on an arm of the inlet and this is being used in some of the structures. The Vancouver streets have wooden sidewalks, and are paved with planks, where time has been given to get the huge stumps removed. The vigor with which work is going on shows that the place

WILL GREATLY EXPAND

In a short time, for the noise of the builders is universal, and neat wooden houses spring up almost with mushroom growth. In this respect Vancouver is much like a newly-born American frontier town, and the fact that American money is the general currency used adds to the illusion. This shows the dependence the whole Pacific Coast of the Dominion has heretofore had upon California as a base of supplies and a mode of communication with the outer world. The completion of the railway will tend to change this; but Vancouver, with her big hopes, may find both the Anglo-Saxon nations contributing to their realization. From the proposed city park or public square, in the center of the town, at the topmost point of the elevation of land between the two harbors, the outlook is lovely across the placid waters bordered with forests, and having mountains beyond. Nestling on the opposite shore about three miles away is the attractive little Indian mission village, its white houses and diminutive church spire glistening in the sunlight. At this central point of grand outlook the railway is constructing a fine hotel, to accommodate the rush of tourist travel expected to pause here before braving the Rocky Mountain railway transit, or taking the long passage across the ocean. Almost beneath the prospective windows of the great hotel of the future lies the magnificent roadstead, and hereafter, when it bears the great commerce it is capable of accommodating, the "Terminal City" will become a metropolis of the Pacific Slope.

METLAKAHTLA TROUBLES.

The Cormorant, which arrived at Nanaimo yesterday, brought down eight Indian prisoners, who were committed for trial on a charge of obstructing the survey. They will arrive by train to-night and will probably be tried next week.

—According to custom, the telegraph wires are again smashed and we are again deprived of our dispatches.

A LIBERAL WAVE.

The Island of Prince Edward Responds to the Appeal of the Liberals.

The Prince Edward Island elections for the Legislative Council were held in that province on the 13th ult., and resulted in a complete sweep for the Liberals:

Hon. Thos. W. Dodd, Liberal candidate for Charlottetown and Royalty, was elected by over one hundred and fifty over Horne, Conservative. Hon. Alex. Laird, Liberal candidate for the second district, Prince County, was elected by an overwhelming majority over Hon. Stewart Burns, leader of the government in the Upper House. Hon. Benj. Rogers, Liberal, was re-elected by 400 majority for the first district of Prince County. Hon. Mr. Campbell, commissioner of public works, Conservative, who was recently defeated for the House of Assembly and held on the office while offering himself as a candidate for election to the Council, is also believed to be defeated in King's county, as far as heard from.

Prince Edward Island is the only province where the Legislative Council is elected by the people and to that great jury responsible for its acts. The Council now stands ten Liberals to three Tories. This foreshadows an overwhelming defeat in that province of the Conservative candidates in the approaching Dominion election.

HOLDING THE FORT.

Sam Greer Protects His Hearth and Home Against Intruders.

A special telegram received from Vancouver this morning says that the sheriff and eight constables broke down the doors of Sam Greer's house, on English Bay, at 10 a. m. yesterday and took possession on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Railway. At four p. m. Greer had regained possession by driving out the enemy, and is still holding the fort. Lively times are anticipated, and if nothing more serious than a bloodless scrimmage results it will be well for both parties. Very naturally there is considerable sympathy for Greer, who, single handed and alone, in and out of the courts is fighting the railway company for what he claims are his rights. The next move is awaited with lively interest.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Passengers from Burrard Inlet by the Princess Louise last night: S P Palmer, C F Morse and daughter, J S Castleman, H C Davies, C M Davis, J Rooney, F Bowman, J Leech, B Alley, T F Garden, T Robb, E Heyman, P McCrea and wife, G O Shields, C N Babington, D Cartnel, C W Leslie, J Lenz, T Whitewell, N Jamieson, H Grows, H Richardson.

The Calgary *Tribune* states that Mr. W. C. Wells, of the Mount Royal ranche, is in town, having just returned from a trip to British Columbia. He goes back to British Columbia for a week or two, and will spend the winter in Montreal.

At the Driard: Geo Turrell, Seattle; S M Robins, Nanaimo; A G McCall, New Westminster; S P Palmer, New York; C Gardiner, Calgary; J S Castleman, Riverside; Miss Rogers, Marysville, Cal; Carroll M Davis, Sacramento; Jas F Garden, Toronto; H C Capwell, San Francisco.

At the Clarence: J S Gragg, H L Stokes, Astoria; J Halberstaid, San Francisco; John McClay, London, Ont.

Mr. Calder, wholesale clothier, of Hamilton, Ont, accompanied by his wife and son, arrived from the east last night and are stopping at the Driard.

CONSIGNEES.

Per R. P. Rithet from Port Hammond: A B Gray & Co, A R Campbell, Ames Holden & Co, B Williams, Brown Bros, Brown & White, C Strouss & Co, C McK Smith, C Russell, McD & Co, Carne & Mussle, C Gowen & Co, Deputy Prov Secty, D Spencer, D E Campbell, E E Wightman, F G Mason, F Norris, G Gillespie, H Lee, H B Co, Hutcheson, J & Co, H Saunders, H J Dansereau, H Mansell, H A Lilley, J Finlayson, J Ward, J Sehl, J Crawford, J Boyd, J H Todd & Son, J T Papst, J Brodie, J H Baker, J Sommers, J C Devlin, Langley & Co, M W Waitt & Co, M Lenz, N & Ross, O Phillips, Rev D Fraser, R Cary, S L Kelly, S J Pitts, S Leiser, T B & Co, Thos Earle, W Heathorn, W Gardner & Co, Welch, Rithet & Co, W J Taylor, W Denny, W F Wood, W Craft, W Jeffree, R Baker & Son, J C Brethour, A Vedder, J W Thompson, A Hendry, M Cowan, Mrs Jenns, Vic Truck & Dray Co, B T Co, Dom Ex Co, Wah Yune, W Monroe, W Clark, J Fannin, E Rand, W Fisher, McLaughlin.

OVERLAND PASSENGERS.

BEAR CREEK, Nov. 20.—Following are the first class passengers on the Pacific express: J Whyte, J Turner, Chas Thomas, William Martin, Miss R Conner, Jennie Davis, Bertha Baker, for Victoria; E Smith, C Dunn and wife, J McIntyre and wife, Port Moody; S Chambers, H G Maher, San Francisco; W S Cofield, Tacoma.

FREE TRADE.

The reduction of internal revenue and the taking off of revenue stamps from Proprietary Medicines, no doubt has largely benefitted the consumers, as well as relieving the burden of home manufacturers. Especially is this the case with *Greer's August Flower* and *Boschee's German Syrup*, as the reduction of thirty-six cents per dozen, has been added to increase the size of the bottles containing these remedies, thereby giving one-fifth more medicine in the 75 cent size. The *August Flower* for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, and *the German Syrup* for Cough and Lung troubles, have perhaps, the largest sale of any medicines in the world. The advantages of increased size of the bottles will be greatly appreciated by the sick and afflicted, in every town and village in civilized countries. Sample bottles for 10 cents remain the same size.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH.

The Thanksgiving service was well attended considering the unfavorable weather. The thanks-offering amounted to about $240 in cash and pledges, which will be used in erecting a mission chapel at Spring Ridge. The remaining indebtedness on the building site has been met by a donation from the Dominion Board of Home Missions, which places the work on a satisfactory financial basis. To-morrow the pastor will preach at both services. Morning subject: "How Ezra used his Bible;" evening subject: "Our advocate."

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

The Chinaman Chin Ah Ting, arrested some days ago on a charge of assault and robbery, was to-day committed to stand his trial at the Assizes opening next week.

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Saturday, Nov. 20, 1886.

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FACTS AND FIGURES.

The gross and net debt of Canada at present is being discussed from one end of the Dominion to the other. The debt question is a perplexing one, and is viewed from various stand points, according to the lights of the political bias of those discussing the topic. In yesterday's TIMES was given a statement of the country's financial position, which we believed to be correct. The gross debt on the 1st of July, 1885, was placed at $264,703,607; the assets representing $68,295,915; leaving the net debt then at $196,407,692. Time and again the Hon. Mr. McLELAN, Finance Minister, during the last session made statements to the effect that on the 31st fo May of this year the gross debt was $281,000,000. Since then the C. P. R. Company has paid back $19,000,000 in cash, and land amounting to $10,000,000. Deducting the cash paid by the C. P. R. Co. from the gross debt of $281,000,000 a balance is left of $262,000,000, to which sum has to be added the $10,000,000 in land and the net result is a gross debt of $272,000,000. In the assets of $68,295,915 claimed by the government, there was included the $29,000,000 due by the C. P. R. Co. As that sum has been paid back it must necessarily disappear from the country's assets. The net amount of assets then would be $39,295,915, which deducted from the gross debt of $272,000,000 would leave a net debt of $232,705,085 as Canada's indebtedness on the 1st of last June. We have seen nothing yet to convince us that this estimate is astray, or that Mr. McLELAN did not know whereof he spoke at the periods named.

The *Colonist* makes an effort this morning to make it appear that the Liberals differ in their opinion as to the exact amount of the debt. The statement of our contemporary, as might be expected from that reliable (?) sheet is garbled and misleading. We will note but one instance, as that will form a key note to the balance of the quotations. In the course of his admirable speech Mr. CHARLTON, in discussing the financial position of the country, in this city, said:

> I called attention to the actual magnitude of the debt of $260,536,853. The settlement with the C. P. R. has increas d it $10,000,000 more, which was counted in as an asset. Then there is a deficit of $4,063,000 more. Then there is $350,000 capital account—a sum that must shrink most considerably, and it is such sums as these that make up the $260,500,000. Now to be perfectly and surely within the mark, let us call the sum $250,000,000 which leaves a net debt of $250,000,000. This means a net debt of $55 per head for every man, woman and child in Canada.

In his summary of the debt Mr. CHARLTON, it will be observed, placed the deficit for last year at $4,000,000. The exact deficit is $5,865,553.67, showing that he was one and a quarter millions less than the actual sum.

The *Colonist*, however, desiring to eclipse all the other "boodle" organs, gives a tabular statement of the amount of the debt claimed to be arrived at by the *Globe*, Messrs BLAKE, INNES, FLEMING, AMES, CAMERON and CHARLTON. The figures given extend back as far as 1867. Mr. CHARLTON is reported to have placed the debt in 1867 at $75,728,000, and in 1886 at $336,228,000. That gentleman named no such figure in this city nor elsewhere that we have read of. It is a pure fabrication, manufactured out of the whole cloth and thoroughly characteristic of that journal. Well may its friends exclaim: "Oh, Lord, how it does lie!" when it has a purpose to serve.

The total collections of internal revenue in the United States from the time the present system was organized, July 1st, 1862, up to June 30, 1886, were $3,438,290,455.

THE contract for St. Lawrence bridge, Lachine, was signed late in the year 1885 and provided for the completion of the masonry, November 30th, 1886. The winter of 1885-86 was spent in quarrying the necessary stone and cutting the timber required for the work. Since then twelve piers, containing about 10,000 yards of masonry, have been built in water 18 to 35 feet deep, with a current in many places of 7½ miles per hour, an accomplishment in deep water work which has never been equalled in any portion of the world. During the progress of the work the contractors have steadily employed about 500 men and a large amount of plant, including 45 derricks, 4 steam scow derricks, 3 steamboats, 22 scows and 5 dredges.

INDEPENDENT OPINIONS.

The Ottawa *Journal* although bearing towards Conservatism, is generally moderate and fair in its criticisms of our public men as reflexing the political opinion of the people. Our evening contemporary at the capital in a recent issue discusses that which it terms "Independent opinions" in an able and impartial manner. It is the *Journal's* opinion that there is creeping into the newspapers of Canada a kind of writing which attempts to palm itself off as vigorous in style and weighty in argument, but which really is vulgar abuse thinly disguised and with a small modicum of ill-arranged facts. It does not appear in papers of good standing and reputation, though even these are tinged with the fault to a deplorable extent, but it thrives in some quarters where the spurious has been allowed to pass for genuine force and ability. Essentially one-sided and unfair, dependent entirely on the gullibility of the community upon which it is inflicted, it passes for sound counsel put forth in unequivocal terms. The truth is that as far as political matters are concerned, it is the shallowest, most unreliable twaddle that ever the pen of man was responsible for, and has about as much effect in the long run as transparent folly usually carries with it. Why then its continuous appearance? Because some vitiated palates require a spicy article to tempt their languid appetites, and the reckless assertion, the bold falsehood, the ingenious misrepresentation, when cooked up with a plausible but partial recital of facts, constitute, taken together, the acceptable sustenance for party hacks, and may at the same time rope in a few unwary people who are not sufficiently on their guard to distinguish the true from the false. The independent tendencies of the leading newspapers have stepped in, and like all formidable, honest rivals to long established errors, become the favorite mark of the old worn-out trickster. The alarmed party servitors hasten to assure the public that the attention to truth, the regard for decency and honor observed by the new aspirants for favor are all part of an insincere design to capture support, and that the honorable tactics pursued are but a temporary good behaviour to be thrown off like a mask when occasion requires. When a question arises which necessitates a definite stand, the party hacks are jubilant on one side or the other over an opportunity to discredit the new influence, but to the credit of Canadians all over the Dominion be it said, the effect of independent opinions is everywhere bowling over the cut-and-dried philosophy of political charlatans, and the luxury of having manly straight-forwardness for a season becomes too precious to be easily parted with. It is a promising sign for honest journalism, but bodes ill for the organs whose advocacy of a party is solely inspired by their eagerness for plunder.

A SIGNIFICANT OMEN.

The appearance of the Hon. WILLIAM MACDOUGALL on the Liberal platform in Toronto last week and his declaration that he would ally himself under the political banner of the Liberal leader, Hon. EDWARD BLAKE, is of more than ordinary significance. It has been known for some time that this gentleman has been in sympathy with the Liberal party and anxious to return to its ranks. It is safe to say that had he remained true to the party in 1867 that to-day he would in all probability have been one of its leaders. Although well advanced in years he is reputed to possess much of the fire and vigor of his youth. He is a very able man, one of the best speakers and debaters in the country, and thoroughly versed in Canadian politics. He began public life as an out-and out reformer, and did great service to the party until he joined the coalition government previous to confederation. The mistake he made in his public life was that he remained in the Coalition Government after confederation, and thus shared in the responsibility of all their acts. We need not recall now the unfair treatment he received at the hands of that government when they sent him up to the Red river country to take possession of it, knowing as they did that his prerogative would be resisted. After that Mr. MACDOUGALL assumed a position of quasi opposition to the government, and strenuously condemned its policy in selecting the long route of the Intercolonial Railway, which added to the cost of the road by some millions of dollars. Mr. MACDOUGALL was not in accord with the Reform party on trade questions in 1878, when he was elected for Halton. He was too independent, however, to be a slavish follower, and the government finding this out, and that he was likely to be a thorn in their side, exerted their influence to beat him when he ran for Algoma in 1882, and succeeded. Since then Mr. MACDOUGALL has taken no active part in politics. Nevertheless, he has closely watched the course of affairs. His judgment has never been biased by the fear or favor of individuals, and he has always been outspoken in his opinions. These coming from a man thoroughly independent and unprejudiced as Mr. MACDOUGALL is, ought to have all the more weight, especially with those who are not strict party men.

THE statement of the Bank of Montreal at the 31st October was issued to-day, giving the result of the business for the half year as follows:—Balance of profit and loss account, 30th April, 1886, $525,545.25; profits for the half year ending 31st October 1886, after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, $765,228.58; total, $1,290,773.83; dividend, 5 per cent., payable 1st December, 1885, $600,000; balance of profit and loss carried forward, $690,773.83.

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NEW Plush Table Scarfs AT COST
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NEW Plush Mantle Borders AT COST
NEW Wool Antimacassars AT COST
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NEW (Boys') Jersey Suits AT COST
NEW Eiderdown Cushions AT COST
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NEW Winter Gloves AT COST
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NEW Silks and Satins AT COST
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A PUBLIC AUCTION will take place at Agricultural Hall, in the City of New Westminster, on

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At 8 o'clock in the evening, when the following lots will be submitted to public competition, in accordance with "Land Sale By-Law, 1881," and amendments thereto, viz.:

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Lots Nos. 18, 19, 20, 23, 25 and 26.

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Lots 4 to 8, inclusive.
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Lots Nos. 6, 8, 9 and 10.

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Lots Nos. 1 to 4, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 5, 9, 11 and 12.
Lots Nos. 14 to 31, inclusive.
Lots 33 to 36, inclusive.

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Lots Nos. 14 to 20, inclusive.
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CHAPTER XXII.

ALONE.

Upstairs lay Jenny, in the deep slumber which profound weariness in youth begets; the solemn sleep that, like death, smooths the countenance into an expression for which human knowledge has no definition. Without a stir in her she lay, and the mysterious sweetness of her face was a sight for love to look upon with fear.

Suddenly she started, and awoke with one of those quick leapings from sleep which the sleepless soul will force the body into, and sat erect, with a frown of bewilderment, and her beautiful eyes alarmed and eager. She had no watch to tell the hour, but upon the carpet lay a streak of sunshine, and the mellow glory of it was a hint to draw her quickly to the window.

The sun was high, and a splendor as of noontide upon the land. In sure belief that she had overslept the hour for the passing of the coach, she took her hat in her hand and went downstairs. The first thing she beheld was the big Dutch clock just beside the door; the hands of it pointed to the quarter past ten, so that Marples was not to be reached that day without posting.

With her eyes fixed upon the clock, she stood on the last step of the staircase, and her baffled intentions plainly showed in the wonder and embarrassment of her face—until Mrs. Walker threw open the glass door of the bulkhead dividing the passage from what would now be termed the bar, and, dropping her a little courtesy, hoped that she was the better for her rest.

"But I have missed the coach, I fear," said Jenny, "if that clock be right."

"It is right enough, ma'am. But Mrs. Mead is in the parlor, and will tell thee how this happ'd, if she be not sleeping," replied Mrs. Walker, with something like a look of contrition on her face, if it were not nervousness.

Without further words Jenny pushed open the parlor door, and there, sure enough, at full length upon the sofa, was Mrs. Mead asleep.

But Jenny was in straits which would not permit of tender thoughtfulness. She wanted to know why she had been allowed to miss the coach, and what she was now to do. And so gave Mrs. Mead a push, which set the old woman talking in her sleep. "Ay, ay, thee need'st not bother—the Lord love 'ee—as' it's as true as this hand—yaw!"

"Mrs. Mead! Mrs. Mead!"

The old woman opened her eyes, stared at Jenny, lifted her head, gave a terrific yawn, and, planting her loose knuckles into the network about her eyes, exclaimed in a smothering voice, "I've bin asleep, I do believe!"

"Mrs. Mead, it's a quarter past ten, and the coach has been gone this long while. Oh, why was I allowed to sleep! I shall not get away this day; and here must I stop, for I have not money enough to hire a post chaise!" cried Jenny.

"Sit down, mistress, and think a bit before ye quarrel. For maybe I'll be showing ye that it's no fault o' mine ye've missed the coach, and then how sorrowful would your heart be for being angry with Mother Mead, who loves you," said the old woman, continuing to rub her eyes until all the sleep was squeezed out of them. "Sally, Sally!" she squeaked; and on Mrs. Walker running in, Mrs. Mead exhorted her to procure breakfast at once for Jenny, and to look in upon them again presently, which was as good as saying, "Don't listen now, at all events."

"You must not think I could be angry with you," said the girl, mournfully, "but it is a sad thing for me to lose the coach; for I hoped to be with Bridget this day, and in a quiet place, where I could think how I am to act in the future."

"And what's to stop you thinking here?" exclaimed Mrs. Mead. "Isn't it quiet enough!—for hours together ye shall hear no sound but the hens talking and scraping in the road. Besides, it's nearer thy home nor Marples. And Jenny, Mrs. Jenny! I'll own to thee it's my fault ye missed ye coach; and it were my wish ye should. What did I say to 'ee last night? Dreadful scandal will follow you when folks hear you have room away, and I will not help thee to be foolish."

Jenny looked at her with astonishment and fear. Whatever force the objection might still possess, she thought that Mrs. Mead had put it aside for good and all when she offered to walk with her to Winston.

"Give yourself time to think," continued the old woman. "If ye should have a mind to return to your mother, 'tis an easy walk from here; if you will still go forward, then the coach will be at this door to-morrow morn. But ye be taking a mighty step in quitting home without ever letting a crature but me know where you've gone. It's because I love you that I've let you miss the coach, and given you a whole day for reflection wi' thy home close at hand."

"My mind is quite made up," said Jenny, moving restlessly about the room. "I will not return home."

"Well, that you say now, but by and by you will be thinking another way."

"I am grieved to have missed the coach, but I am not angry," she went on, in a subdued but firm tone. "It will be dull work for me here all day; for I suppose you will return to Greystone?"

The old woman nodded. Jenny looked at her hard.

"Mrs. Mead, be frank with me. What do you mean to do? Shall you tell mother where I am?"

"I'll not answer ye," replied the old woman rather sulkily, not liking Jenny's sharpness.

"You have sworn to keep my secret," said the girl reproachfully.

"Suppose the first man I met in the street should be Mr. Shaw!" cried the old woman, in a shrill voice.

Jenny turned to the window and looked through it in silence.

"See now, my dearie," said Mrs. Mead mildly; "will ye let me judge how to act for you? If you were my child I could not wish you better than I do; and thy fame, which must be the dearest thing a woman hath, is my reason for hindering your journey this day. Neither you nor me knows what is being said i' Greystone, and things may hap to-day to make 'ee thankful you had not all the way from Marples to come. Bide here while I go to Greystone. I'll find out about thy mother, and how she bears thy going, and what is said of thee, and all that should be known. And to-night will I return with what news there is; and it shall either be that you return to thy home again, or go straight on into the world, as shall seem best on what report I bring you."

If Mrs. Mead had said this at first, Jenny would have understood her motives. But, says an ancient adage: "When you hear an old woman talk straight, you shall see your cow walk on its hind legs."

"There may be good sense in what you say," replied Jenny, who had turned from the window and stood with her fine eyes fixed on Mrs. Mead; "and here will I stop till you come back. But truly I do not know that any news you could bring should take me home again. For when father misses me his anger will be terrible, and not to save my life would I face him without proof that I am an honest girl."

At this moment Mrs. Walker came in with Jenny's breakfast. She chose to prepare the table herself, that she might have a good sight of the young wife; for Jenny was a wonderful heroine in the hostess' eyes, and created a chance for imagination to chew upon that deserved to be made much of.

"Your papa is known to me, ma'am," said she, courtesying, in token that the brea fast was over. "I heard him preach a sermon one day, it were a lecture, as I remember, in S. Martin's hall, down Beach street, in your town. He hath a strong voice, and is a fine man, as I think. Is he quite well?"

With a sad smile Jenny answered her; and as she seated herself at the table, Mrs. Mead asked Sally about the wagon that was to carry her to Greystone.

"Johnny shall put the horse to when it pleases ye," replied Sally.

"The sooner the better," said the old woman.

The so-called wagon was a small metamorphosed cart, with a canvas hood, and wheels stout enough to support a horse. In ten minutes' time it was at the door, and on the bear shaft of it sat, with his hobnail boots within a foot of the road, a sour-faced man, who sucked an inverted pipe, and doggedly combed horseflies off the rough hide of the horse with a whip. Sally came into the parlor to announce it, and Mrs. Mead at once got up and put on her old bonnet and shawl.

"I shall find ye here when I come back!" said she, interrogatively, holding Jenny's hand.

"Yes, I will wait for you," replied the girl, wearily, with the now familiar absent look in her eyes.

The old woman hobbled out of the room after her friend, and, with a hard expression of misery on her face, Jenny went to the sofa and leaned her head upon it.

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November 9, 1886. nov10 1m

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CITY AND PROVINCE.

—PALACE SALOON: Free lunch tonight; Boss and Empire beer on draught, 5c per glass.

—The Queen of the Pacific had an extra heavy passenger list to-day.

—Ask your grocer for the Portland Roller flour.

—A number of communications have been crowded out to-day.

—Money saved by having your plans made by FISHER, the ARCHITECT.

—The Portland flour has taken the medal every year since its existence.

—The Eckert-Leighton troupe will make the Clarence their headquarters while in this city.

—Bavaria beer, five cents per glass, at the Royal Hotel, cor. Fort & Douglas streets.

—A large number of Chinamen will leave Victoria and the Sound on the bark Southern Chief, now at Port Townsend.

—All first class dealers and grocers keep the Portland Roller flour. Buy no other.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD'S, Douglas St.

—Fresh oysters by the bottle delivered to all parts of the city. Young Bros., New England Bakery, Government street, between Yates and Johnson streets.

—The old Yorkshire Market, Yates street, has been resuscitated and was the centre of attraction to-day. W. W. Evans & Co. are the managers.

—Mr. W. H. Mason has returned to the city and will resume business at the old stand corner Trounce Alley and Broad street.

—Mr. W. K. Bull, our indefatigable collector, has received one thousand dollars from commercial travellers during the present year.

—The press of the United States is yet discussing the hanging of Sproule, the American at Victoria. The San Francisco *Alta* says it is a proceeding which disgraces English jurisprudence.

—Sooke hills were covered with the beautiful to-day. A light flurry of snow last night is the first of the season. Two inches of snow is reported at the summit of the Island Railway.

—The Portland Roller Mills flour was awarded the first gold medal at the Mechanics Fair, October 16th, at Portland, Oregon, for superiority against all other Oregon flours.

—The death of Dr. Cluness, of Nanaimo, who has been surgeon of the Vancouver Coal Co. for the last ten years, occurred suddenly yesterday. No particulars.

—Those who wish to send their photos to the "old country" in time for Xmas, would do well to sit now and avoid the Xmas rush. HALL & LOWE, Photographers, Government St.

—GOODWIN & JORDAN, piano manufacturers, tuning and repairing. FACTORY COMORANT street, between Douglas and Blanchard. First class work only. Telephone 98; P. O. box 422.

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver.

—Owing to the efficient management of the Northern Pacific railway, Messrs. Neufelder & Ross to-day received the first fruits of the season direct from the Levant; eight days from St. Paul and only thirty days from Liverpool.

—The Canada *Gazette* of the 13th inst. contains a statement of the receipts and expenditure of the Dominion for the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1886. The total expenditure $39,176,973.24, and the receipts $33,311,419.57, showing a deficit of $5,865,553.67.

—The balances to the credit of depositors in the Dominion Savings' banks in this province on the 30th of last Sept. were as follows: Victoria, $1,619,769.26; New Westminster, $293,139.82; Nanaimo, $236,894.51. For a considerable time it was a neck and neck race between this city and Charlottetown, P. E. I., as to the extent of deposits. In the last returns that city leads Victoria by $160,000.

—The B. C. Stationery and Printing Company have issued a "Tourist's map of Victoria." It is a neat compact handy map. The streets, blocks and their numbers are given distinctly. A radius of a half mile and a mile from the post office are also indicated as well as the city limits and the surroundings and environs of the city and Esquimalt. It is sold for 25 cents and should meet with a large sale.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The following parties left for San Francisco on the Queen of the Pacific today: Mrs M Heathfield, Dan Ross, Mrs Maynard, Dan Mills, Mrs W Allen, Mrs McLeod, A McLachlan, E Lewis, T C Morris, C C Carr, K Carr, P H Carr, C P Griffin, Frank Barnard, Mrs Howard, W Cahill, Jas Jackson, J G Urquhart and wife, Mrs H Russell, Mrs E Maguire, Mrs H Young, Miss Young, Mrs Wake, C E Bedford and wife, Mrs A Gregg and child, Mrs Prince and child, Y G Magnus, C Gardner, H A Ganke, Alonzo Benjamin.

TROUBLES OF LIVERY MEN.

A man named Steves hired a horse and buggy from Mr. Dalby on Tuesday to drive to Esquimalt. The axle of the buggy was broken, the harness smashed into fragments and the horse cut on the legs. The damage done amounted to one hundred dollars. Steves tried to get off to Alaska on the Idaho, but was arrested before the steamer left. In the police court yesterday he was discharged, as there was no evidence that he had wilfully or maliciously injured the property.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.

A young man, named Wm. McKelvie, who was formerly employed as baker by Mr. McKeon, and who has been insane since last spring, attempted to commit suicide at 5:30 on Friday afternoon by jumping over James Bay bridge. McKelvie has been an inmate of the New Westminster asylum since becoming deranged, but as his insanity is of a mild and harmless type he was taken out by his sister Mrs. Gallaghan, of San Francisco, who, with true sisterly affection, proposed to take care of him in the future or until his recovery. They came down from New Westminster on Wednesday, with the intention of leaving on the San Francisco steamer to-day, and have been stopping at the St. Nicholas. When returning from a walk last evening, McKelvie suddenly sprang over James Bay bridge, about fifty yards from the James Bay side, and fell into the water below. His attendant, Peter Carr, rushed back to the shore and with the assistance, succeeded in rescuing the unfortunate fellow in a somewhat exhausted condition. McKelvie did not seem to realize what he had done, and seem to be greatly amused at the alarm of his companion.

SPRING MOTOR.

J. W. Fawkes, Jr., representing the J. W. Fawkes Manufacturing Company of Chicago, has placed on exhibition in the window of the B. C. Stationery and Printing Co., next to the post office, a patent spring motor, used for running sewing machines, pleasure boats, lathes, pumps, churns, and all light powers. This company also manufactures quite extensively revolving display cases for all lines of goods, making the most attractive display known, as anything in motion catches the eyes and arrest the attention where all else fail. The power of this motor can be increased at will simply by the application of an increased number of springs, and with the use of the air governor any speed that may be desired. J. W. Fawkes, the inventor, was formerly known as the steam plowman of 1859. The B.C.S. & P. Co. have secured the agency for British Columbia.

ROW AMONG JAPANESE.

Officer Hooson last night arrested three Japanese sailors for assaulting another Jap, G. Mitani, in a cabin on Humboldt street. Mitani was severely but not dangerously cut on the forehead and bled profusely. A general fight had occurred in which half a dozen Japs had participated, but the the chief offender, Kiche Kobashi, made his escape. The prisoners were discharged this morning, and were instructed by the court before leaving the dock to assist the officers in the capture of Kobashi. The affair was a drunken row.

The principal offender, Heikichi, was arrested to-day and brought before the police magistrate at the adjourned meeting of the court this afternoon. He was remanded until Monday.

JAMES BAY BRIDGE.

At a meeting of the Streets Committee on Friday afternoon Donald G. Walker was appointed inspector of wood work and John Mortimer inspector of mason work on the new bridge to be erected over James Bay. The San Francisco Bridge Company, to whom the contract was awarded for the sum of $5,441.75, today refused to ratify the agreement. A mistake was made by the Council in not requiring a deposit with each tender, to be forfeited in event of the successful tenderer refusing to go on with the work. It is doubtful if the bridge will be built at present.

OUT OF BONDAGE.

Mr. Willis Bond appeared in the police court to-day and made an application for a stay of proceedings in the matter of the Corporation vs. Bond. Mr. Johnson replied that any application made to the court must be in writing. Mr. B. further called attention to an item in THE TIMES which "inadvertently" made him refer to the "inferior" wisdom of the court. He disclaimed ever having used such language, and did not desire to be held guilty of such a contemp of court. His honor said he felt sure that Mr. Bond had been misreported.

A HEAVY LICENSE.

Under an amendment to the Municipalities Act, passed at last session of the Legislature, it appears that every livery stable keeper or cab owner is required to pay a tax of $2.50 each six months for every cab or carriage "kept for hire." The Transfer Co., Bowman, and other large livery men, under this law, will have to pay several hundred dollars in licenses every year. This is another law, the cabmen say, that will have to be smashed.

BAD ACCOMMODATION.

Passengers from Nanaimo by this morning's train complain of the poor car accommodation. There was only one composite car for about seventy passengers, and consequently half of them were compelled to stand, inside and outside, and as the morning was cold they were in anything but an amiable mood when the express reached Victoria.

A SOCIAL AFFAIR.

The guests at the Revere House, Pandora street, last evening gave a pleasant party and dance to a few select friends. About twenty couples were present, and tripped the light fantastic till an early hour this morning. At midnight a *recherche* supper was set. All were unanimous as to the jolly time spent.

THE IDEALS.

This troupe of artists will give their first entertainment in the Victoria Theatre this evening. The programme is replete with the latest songs, sketches, etc., and the elaborate first part called "Mum" is alone a gem. A full rehearsal was held last high and everything passed off serenely.

SPALLUMCHEEN NEWS.

Mr. A. L. Fortune recently lost seven valuable cows, which had eaten of a poisonous weed. The roller mill in progress of construction at Belvidere is making splendid headway. Mr. Frank Young has returned from his visit to friends in the east. He now says, with emphasis: "Do not talk east to me any more."

A BAD ACCIDENT.

From a party from Seattle we learn that the accomplished trapeze artiste, Anna Lionetta, who filled an engagement in this city a short time ago, met with a severe accident at the Bijou theatre, Seattle, last Wednesday, when by falling from the trapeze she broke one of the bones of her left leg.

FIRST SNOW.

The first snow of the season appeared on Sooke mountains this morning, and on the summit near Shawnigan Lake, on the E. & N. R., about three inches of snow fell.

THE CONCORDIA.

Five new stars will arrive on the Mexico on Monday and will appear at the above place of amusement, when a grand programme will be presented.

CHOICE FRUIT FOR THANKSGIVING

A lot of the finest fruit that has reached Victoria this season has been received from Washington Territory by Brown Bros., Yates street, next to the New York restaurant, and is selling fast. Secure a box.

We are constantly receiving the latest SHEET MUSIC and MUSIC BOOKS.

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WHAT SOME PEOPLE SAY.

That the heading above is not patented or an "exclusive," consequently there's no cause for libel; we take it in French *sans peur et sans reproche*. Sayce.

That the passengers on the Queen of the Pacific predict a rough trip; the cooks predict a holiday in consequence. The meaning is plain.

That the song of "White Wings," they never grow weary, is growing weary all the same. It's a pretty song but should be shelved for the present. Our grandchildren can resuscitate it in the sweet bye and bye.

That the *Colonist* editor *pro tem.* has a mouth that measures—Saint David did you say that an Ell-(is) the measurement? Why, that is for whole cloth, but nevertheless it's all the same.

That a funny paper says there is a bigger mouth in existence. The Czar of Russia has a regular Czar-ahasu. That's a splendid one!

That a man on the stage of one of Victoria's theatres, where goody-good people don't go, says they hang innocent men here, not the guilty ones. The audience applauded the words. Wrong you are, young man; you're thinking of American laws that don't hang either guilty or innocent men.

The same man said Victoria's streets are full of man traps—when the ladies are out. Up, ladies, and at him. He's a little too previous, but he's not quite so far from the mark in Leap Year. Now make a candid confession to yourself.

That the Moor of Victoria has blossomed out on the "boodle" side of the question. He would do better in the Customs service. He's in Bond always; Will (is) what he has when on the "boodle" side.

"I'm a Tory, am I"
"On the Grits keep one eye," etc.

But here we stop.

That many say that once upon a time when Edgar was anointing the pompous Dave with his balm, the latter personage was hurling too awful language at Sir John, Canada's premier. A few copies of those papers could be easily retailed for $5 each at the present time. THE TIMES would give that much with joy. But its just as well as it is. "We've got 'em on the list."

That the Ideal Dramatic troupe guarantee an A 1 performance at the Victoria Theatre this evening.

That THE TIMES is the best newspaper in the Province. Self-praise is half-scandal, but exception is sometimes made. Everybody makes the exception in this case. How could it be otherwise? Echo answers "It could not."

That the criminal calendar at the evening assizes is a credit to any country. Yet those American papers find fault with us for the execution of a just sentence. They are evidently as hardened as the criminals who languish in their gaols and the word of the Good Book "a life for a life" is totally ignored. Instead of America the "land of the free and the home of the brave" it should be the "land of the scum and the home of the dynamiter." More's the pity.

That the Local House when it meets will have a Mugwump. We don't particularly refer to the junior member for Esquimalt District—the personification of everything in his mind, but nothing in reality, and who represents dry dock and railroad men that have flown to other pastures new and green. But as many say, politics can be classed with those classical arts—love and war—everything goes, and win who can win, and so the act was done and a chanticleer crowed: "Heap big man me."

That the best hit known of here is that of last week's *Argus* when the editor, Allan Weir, batted the *Colonist* clean across the Straits. It was a splendid hit and scored a home run. So much for stealing news from another paper and then palming it off on the public as original. Old tactics of yours, friend *Colonist*.

And here our lead pencils gave out, and during a hasty trip to the British Columbia Stationery Co.'s store for more our funny man's inspirations departed from his busy brain for the time being. More anon.

THE MOCK PARLIAMENT.

The first session of the mock parliament was opened by Lieut.-Governor Archibald last evening, at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. A guard of honor, from the rifle brigade, accompanied His Honor to the throne. The speech from the throne, which was read by the Lieut.-Governor in a clear and distinct voice, was not, we were gratified to note, of the usual stereotyped character. Reference was made to the completion of the E. & N. R. R., which was pronounced to be, notwithstanding its sharp curves and heavy grades, a great convenience to the traveling public, and the hope was expressed that thriving towns and villages would now rapidly spring up in the region traversed by this link between the two island cities. The completion of the C. P. R. was also alluded to in congratulatory terms, and His Honor expressed the opinion that the impetus that would be given by it to agriculture, mining and fisheries would more than recompense the country for the enormous outlay incurred in its construction. A bill was promised for the protection of our fisheries, so that designing men cannot impose bad salmon upon the people of the east, and acts for the extension of the free postal delivery, affecting immigration, and prohibiting the alienation of public lands in blocks to railways, will also be brought down. After the delivery of the speech, the usual routine motions were made, and the house adjourned until Wednesday evening.

After adjournment Speaker Shakespeare entertained the members at a banquet in the rooms of the association.

WHAT TRUE MERIT WILL DO.

The unprecedented sale of *Boschee's German Syrup* within a few years, has astonished the world. It is without doubt the safest and best remedy ever discovered for the speedy and effectual cure of Coughs, Colds and the severest Lung troubles. It acts on an entirely different principle from the usual prescriptions given by Physicians, as it does not dry up a Cough and leave the disease still in the system, but on the contrary removes the *cause* of the trouble, heals the parts affected and leaves them in a purely healthy condition. A bottle kept in the house for use when the diseases make their appearance, will save doctor's bills and a long spell of serious illness. A trial will convince you of these facts. It is positively sold by all druggists and general dealers in the land. Price, 75 cts., large bottles.

FROM METLAKATLAH.

Judge Harrison arrived from Metlakatlah by the Island railway, having left the Cormorant at Departure Bay. Through the firmness displayed by the captain of the Cormorant, and the Judge, it is said that the Indians of that place have begun to realize that they have been badly advised. No doubt Judge Harrison has, during his stay at Metlakatlah collected much valuable information which it is to be hoped the Government will cause to be published, so that the "saddle may be put on the right horse." In justice to themselves the Government have a right to place the particulars before the public at once.

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EX-PRESIDENT ARTHUR

Gone to His Long Account—Close of an Active Useful Life—His End a Sudden One.

The announcement in yesterday's second edition of THE TIMES of the death of ex-President Chester Allen Arthur, although not altogether unexpected, was an event that took a good many people by surprise. The deceased had been ailing for some time. He had frequent relapses, each of which made it only too apparent that the end of a long and an active career was rapidly approaching. The final crisis reached him unaware to his friends and attendants. It is believed that an effusion of blood on the brain caused by the rupture of one of the veins in the head was the cause of his death. He never recovered his power of speech and lay for hours in a comatose condition. At times he pressed the hand of his physician when asked a question. He passed peacefully away without a struggle at 3 o'clock on Thursday morning at his residence in New York. At his bedside were his son and daughter, his sister, his former partner, Sherman W. Nevals, and his closest friend and surrogate, Rollins.

The late President was born in Vermont, Oct. 5, 1830. He received a collegiate education and during his life occupied many positions of trust before reaching the presidential chair. By his death Rutherford B. Hayes is left the sole surviving ex-President of the U. S. He was the seventh President of that great country on the Republican side in direct, unbroken line. He has gone to his long account leaving behind him but few enemies and millions of friends who will hold his name in grateful remembrance.

His funeral was to take place in New York to-day at 9 a. m., from the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Fifth avenue. His remains were to be taken for interment to Albany to be laid beside those of his wife, who died many years since, and for whose memory he always displayed the greatest loyalty. The Seattle *Post-Intelligencer*, in summing up his life, of the late ex-President says:

"Chester Allen Arthur—May he rest in peace! May his grave be as beautiful as the traits of character which compelled even his enemies to admit that he was the first gentleman of America. May his sleep be sweet and his rest unbroken. May the flowers of many summers blossom and bloom above his grave, fit emblems of the kindness, the gentleness, the suavity of manner, which made even his refusal to confer a favor more gracious than the consent of other men."

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

T. Kasaoka, T. Yesuda and R. Tokabashi, charged with assaulting G. Mitani; discharged.

Walter Barry, carrying on business of expressman without a license; charge withdrawn, defendant having discontinued the business.

Edward Marsden, cabman, charged with plying for hire without a license, withdrawn on payment of costs and license.

Charles Minckler, cabman, charged with needlessly leaving his team unprotected on the streets; dismissed on the ground that the by-law under which the information had been laid had been repealed.

MARINE ITEMS.

The ten bark Carrie Delap is loading 850,000 feet of lumber up the Sound for Montevideo.

The bark Sierra Nevada, from the Sound to San Francisco is out over 60 days and is given up for lost.

The steamer Alki, which ran on a B. C. reef some time ago, has been scared off the Nanaimo route and is now in the Puget Sound coal trade.

THREE OF A KIND.

Deputy Sheriff Langley to-day arrested Lai Zung Tow, Mah Pah King, and Zow Ching King, under charges issued at the instance of Kwong Lee & Co. They have been in hiding for some time and were going on board the American tug Holyoke for conveyance to Port Townsend where they intended taking the back Southern Chief for China.

FOUND DEAD.

Mr. Findley, a rancher near Shawnigan Lake informed the police last night that the body of a man had been found in the woods near Fitzgerald's camp, about 100 yards from the railway. Officer Lewis went up this morning to make an investigation. It is believed to be a case of suicide. The identity of the man is unknown.

THE ASSAULT CASE.

The investigation of the charge against H. Davies was concluded last evening, and prisoner was committed to stand his trial at the assizes. Bail was fixed at $2000—the prisoner in $1000 and two sureties in $500 each. Bail being furnished and the prisoner was liberated.

CHINAMAN HANGED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 19.—Tong Ah Sing, condemned for the murder of a Chinese woman about four years ago, was hanged at 12:08 p. m. to-day in the city gaol.

THIS IS A FACT.

Best Canadian butter and cheese at A. Ofner's, corner Government and Fort streets.

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NEW TO-DAY.

NOTICE.

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H. W. PEARSE.

Fernwood, 23th Nov. 1886. nov20-1w

NOTICE,

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that on the 20th day of August, 1886, the partnership existing between myself and Henry H. Klingele, who for some time previous had carried on business in Victoria as Commission Merchants under the firm name of "JAS. DWYER & CO.", was dissolved by mutual consent, and that on that day I retired from the said firm.

Dated the 20th November, 1886.

Nov20 1w JAMES DWYER.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that no more Books will be issued after this date; and in view of transfering the Library to City Council, all persons holding Books, Magazines or Papers, are requested to hand them into the Librarian on or before Wednesday, 24th inst.

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November 20th 1886. nov 20

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